

Examiner:

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Application of:

Lino TAVARES, et al.

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For:

TERAZOSIN TRANSDERMAL DEVICE AND

METHODS

PETITION FOR EXTENSION UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 December 18, 2003

Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated June 18, 2003 for three (3) months from September 18, 2003 to December 18, 2003.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the \$950.00 three (3) months extension fee to Deposit Account No. 50-0552. If it is determined that any additional fees are due or if any fees have been overpaid, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the deficiency or overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0552.

Respectfully submitted,

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